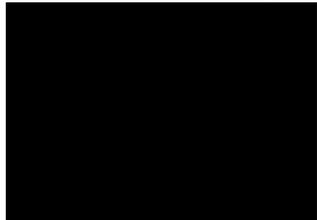


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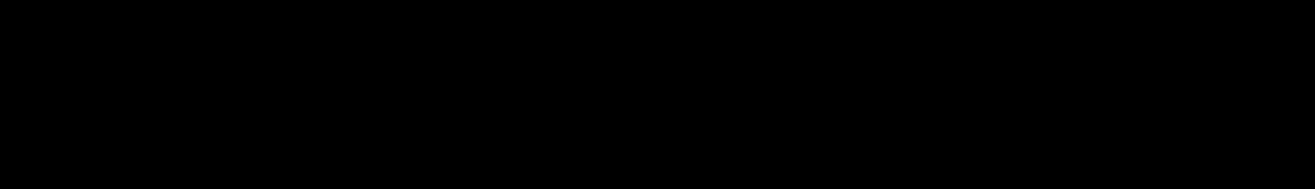
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- Russian troops occupying Bulgaria totaled about 100,000 toward the end of September consisting of:
 - 10th Army Headquarters
 - 3 or 4 Corps Headquarters
 - 6 or 7 Divisions
 - 1 or 2 Armored Divisions
 - 1 AA Division
 - 1 Coastal Brigade
- The transformation of the 37th Army into the 10th Motorized Army had not yet been effected at the end of September, but the general motorization of the Infantry divisions was in progress.
- The increase of 25,000 troops over the total of 75,000 as reported in [Redacted] was caused by the arrival of reinforcements for the older classes which have already been discharged or are to be discharged.
- Russian troops nearest the Greek and Turkish frontiers are those located in the Haskovo and Simeonovgrad areas.
- The following is a list of Russian troop locations in Bulgaria:
 - A. 10th Motorized Army HeadquartersSofia
 - B. 80th or 15th or 5th Motorized Corps.....Sofia
 - One motorized division.....Sofia
 - One motorized division.....Vakarel
 - One motorized regiment.....Vakarel
 - One motorized artillery regiment.....Sofia
 - One armored regiment.....Gorna Kanja
 - One armored regiment.....Vakarel
 - C. 7 Motorized Corps.....Plovdiv
 - 333rd Motorized Division.....Kazanlik
 - One motorized division.....Bregov Haskovo
 - 76th Motorized Regiment.....Plovdiv
 - One motorized regiment.....Plovdiv
 - One motorized regiment.....Karlovo
 - One motorized artillery regiment.....Plovdiv
 - D. 61st or 6th Motorized Corps.....Stara Zagora
 - 23rd Motorized Division.....Stara Zagora
 - 19th Armored Division.....Stara Zagora

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One motorized regiment.....Karlovo
23rd Armored Regiment.....Tulovo
24th Armored Regiment.....Stara Zagora
One armored regiment.....Plovdiv
E. 4th Armored Corps.....Sliven
One motorized division.....Sliven
One motorized division.....Yambol
One motorized division.....Burgas
One motorized regiment.....Yambol
One motorized regiment.....Elkhovo
One motorized regiment.....Aitos
One motorized regiment.....Aitos
One motorized regiment.....Burgas
One armored regiment.....Yambol
One armored battalion.....Burgas
One motorized artillery regiment.....Yambol
One motorized artillery regiment.....Sliven
F. Independent Units
One artillery division.....Stara Zagora(Chirpan)
One AA division.....Plovdiv
G. Separate Units
22nd Heavy Armored Regiment(Stalin type) ?
One battalion "Katuscia".....Asenovgrad *
One battalion "Andruscia".....Petzera(sic) **
One motorized artillery group.....Varna
One coast artillery brigade HQ.....Varna
One coastal regiment.....Varna
One AA regiment.....Pasardzhik
One AA regiment.....Plovdiv
One AA regiment.....Silistra
One AA group.....Silistra
One AA group.....Varna
68th Signal Regiment..... ?
One NKVD regiment.....Burgas

*Vehicles equipped with flame throwers.

** Special armored cars or tanks.

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